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## SOVIET COAL MINES MEET SCHEDULE

MOSCOW COAL COMBINE FULFILLS 4-MONTH PIAN -- Trud, No 96, 24 Apr 49

Miners of the "Moskvougol'" Combine fulfilled the 4-month plan for coal mining and loading on 22 April. Average daily output increased 12.4 percent over the same period of 1948. The best results were achieved by miners of the "Stalinggorshugol'," "Shoherbakovugol'," and "Oktyabr'ugol'" Trusts.

Workers of the "Moskvougol'" Combine saved 4.5 million rubles above plan during the first quarter of 1949 and released 17.5 million rubles from working capital.

Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 78, 3 Apr 49

The "M"-1" mining combine, designed by Mel'nikov and Petrov, two engineers of the Moscow coal basin, was put into operation on 17 Karch in cutting new drift so y in Stalinogorsk kine So 26. Tests showed the combine to be five times more effective than ordinary equipment.

Moskovskiy Bol'shevik, No 80, 6 Apr 49

A general inspection of the introduction and utilization of machinery will be carried out in the Moscow coal basin during the next 2 months. Committees for carrying out the inspection and brigades for the examination of the work of the machinery have been created in the combines, trusts, and wines of the basin. Any shortcomings uncovered by the inspection, as well as the work of outstanding persons, will be discussed in production meetings.

TULA COMBINE FULFILLS 4-MONTH PLAN -- Prevda, No 113, 23 Apr 49

The "Tulaugol'" Combine fulfilled the 4-month plan for cutting and hauling coal on 22 April. The combine fulfilled its obligation to save one million Tubles above plan and release 5 million rubles from working capital.

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DERAUGIAN TRUST REACHES PREMAR OUTPUT LEVEL -- Pravda Ukrainy, No 79, 5 Apr 49

Yanov, director of the "Frunzeugol!" Trust has announced that the miners have reached the prever output level and that thousands of tons of coal above the quarter!, plan have been mined. The "Pervomayshugol!" Trust fulfilled the quarterly plan of coal output on 28 March.

URAL MINERS COMPLETE 4-MOETH PIAN -- Vechernyaya Mos. va, No 92, 19 Apr 49

Miners of the Chelyabinsk coal basin have delivered dozens of trainloads of fue oal above plan in honor of the Tenth Congress of Trade Unions. Three mines have completed the 4-month program ahead of schedule.

COMPETITION SPURS KUZBASS MINERS -- Pravda, No 93, 3 Apr 49

Runhass miners achieved considerable success in their socialist competition with Dorbess miners by exceeding the 1949 first-quarter plan for cutting fuel and coking coal. Miners of the "Molotorugol", " "Maganovichugol", " "Stalinugol", " and Europeanugol", " Trusts attained first place in the contest and core levally exceeded the plan for outting coking coal. The "Lenipsgol", " "Annherougol", " and "Kemerovugol" Trusts also exceeded the first-quarter plan.

The mines of the basin are attempting to step in production further in honor of 1 May.

Pravda, No 95, 5 Apr 49

A competitive agreement has been signed between the miners of the "Stalinugol'" and the "Kurbassugo." Combines. The miners of the "Stalinugol'" Combine have pledged to achieve, in the course of the present year, the level of coal production planned for 1950, to mine 200,000 tons of coal more than called for in the 1949 plan, to raise labor productivity 14.5 percent, and to save 6 million rubles more than planned. The miners of the "Kurbassugol'" Combine, in turn, have pledged to reach, in the course of this year, the level of production planned for 1950, to mine 210,000 tons of coal above the 1949 plan, to raise labor productivity 12 percent, and to save 6 million rubles more than planned.

Trui, No 91, 19 Apr 49

Miners of "Biaganak" and "Krasnyy Uglekop" Mines of the "Stellinugol'"
Trust in the Kurhase have increased coal mining to the level set for 1950. The
h-month program for smal mining has been completed by the "Mazurovskaya" Mine of
the "Kasarovugol'" Trust, "Ehurinka-4" of the "Leninugol'" Trust, and No 17 of
the "Antherougol'" Trust.

The 4-month program was fulfilled ahead of schedule by Mines 44/45 of the "Stalinugol'" Trust of the Karagandaugol' Combine.

"Zapadnaya-Kapital'naya" Mine was the first in the Rostovugol' Combine to be mechanized. New VFM-1 cutting and loading mechines are now in operation at 16 cuts. During the first quarter, mining was 50 percent mechanized.

CHITA MINES FIAN GREATER GUTFUT -- Zabaykal'ski; Raboohiy, No 60,27 Mar 49

Buring 1948 and the first part of 1949 the Bukachacha Mine Administration, Chita Oblast, received 57 ST-11 conveyers, 9 S-153 coal-loading machines, 5 UMP-1 rock loaders, a VIU universal cutting machine, and a mine combine.

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The productivity of the best RMP-1 cutter operator in 1949 is 9,000 tons per month; in 1945, the productivity of a cutter was no more than 3,130 tons per month. The new coal-loading machine has decreased the cost of sinking one running mater of drift by 16 rubles, and the top speed of a brigade is 150 running meters per month.

Zabaykal'skiy Rabochiy, No 52, 16 Mar 49

The "Malyutka" Mine, Chita Oblast, has pledged to complete the 4-month plan for mine-preparatory work by 1 April and the 4-month plan for coal mining by 15 April. The mine completed the mining plan for the first 10 days of March 105 rescent.

The Mine imeni Lemin has pledged to mine 70 tone of coal per day above plan in honor of the Trade Union Congress on 19 April.

Zabaykal'skiy Rabschiy, No 58, 25 May 49

The "Malyutka" Mine, Chita Oblas:, fulfilled the first-quarter coal-mining plan on 22 March. Section No 3 of the mine took the lead in the competition.

Zabaykal'skiy Rabochiy, No 54, 19 Mar 49

The Kadala Mine, Chita Oblast, completed the first-quarter coal-mining plan on 16 March. The mine has pledged to complete the 4-month plan by 10 April and the 5-month plan by 1 May.

MASTER COMBINES FULFILL QUARTER FLAR -- Krasnaya Zvezda, No 76, 1 Apr 49

The "Vostsibugol'" Combine completed the first-quarter coal-mining plan ahead of schedule. Average daily coal output increased slmost 18 percent over the same period of 1948.

The "Primorekagol'" Combine also fulfilled the coal-mining plan for the first quarter ahead of schedule.

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